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RECORD OF DEATHS.

Short Sketches of the Lives of Persons Who Have Recently Passed Away.

G. E. TRUAX.

George Edward Truax passed away at his home at Wells Tannery on Friday, June 18, 1918 aged 70 years, 8 months, and 11 days. The funeral took place on the following Sunday. The services were conducted by Rev. Frownfelter of the M. E. Church, assisted by the K. G. E. in the beautiful ritual of their order, of which Mr. Truax was a beloved member. Interment was made in the cemetery at the United Brethren church in Wells Valley. Mr. Truax had been in failing health for several months, having been afflicted with dropsy and heart disease. He was born and reared in the Valley, being a son of "Uncle Billy" Truax. He is survived by the following children: Bert, residing at Pitcairn, Pa., James L. Wells Tannery; Cora B., wife of Peter Sattiox, Wells Tannery, and John, Youngstown, O. Also; by the following brothers and sister: Levi, Richard, and Susan (widow of the late Thornton Foster) residing in Wells Valley, and James living at Shirleysburg, Pa.

MRS. REBECCA ANN DIEHL.

Mrs. Rebecca Ann Diehl, widow of the late James A. Diehl, of Whips Cove, died at the home of her son Frank M. Diehl at Mench, Bedford County, on Wednesday, June 26, 1918, aged 81 years, 2 months and 15 days. The funeral services, conducted by Rev. T. P. Garland of the Christian Church were held at the Jerusalem church in Whips Cove on Friday of last week, after which her remains were placed to rest beside those of her husband who preceded her to the grave about 8 years. Mrs. Diehl's maiden name was McNamee, and she was born in Cecil county, Md., on the 11th of April, 1837, and came to this county to make her home when she was 12 years of age. Since the death of her husband she made her home with her son Frank, besides whom, she is survived by one son Ed L. Diehl, of Bedford. One daughter, Mrs. Laura Mellott, preceded her to the grave.

WILLIAM L. MCKEE.

William L. McKee died at his home in Whips Cove, this county on Friday night, June 21, 1918 aged about 55 years. The funeral took place on the following Monday, and interment was made at Jerusalem church in the Cove. The deceased is survived by his wife Alice, a daughter of the late Abram Plessinger, by two daughters, Mrs. George Layton and Miss Marie, and by one son Logue, who is married and lives on the home place.

ABNER MELLOTT.

Abner Mellott one of Brush Creek township's oldest citizens died at the home of his son-in-law Simon L. Garland on Friday June 28, 1918 aged about 85 years. The funeral took place on the following Sunday and interment was made at Jerusalem church in the Cove. His wife, whose maiden name was Layton, died several years ago. He is survived by one son, Denton, who resides near Hancock, Md.

George H. Knotts of Altoona, accompanied by his sister-in-law, Miss Mary Ott, motored to McConnellsburg last Friday evening and remained until Sunday afternoon, when they returned accompanied by Mrs. Knotts and the children who had been in McConnellsburg a couple of weeks, and by Mrs. Knott's father, Mr. John Ott, who expects to spend a week in the Mountain City.

Mrs. J. W. Grove is spending this week in the home of her brother A. W. Johnston, near Newville, and attending the missionary conference.

Twenty-one More Boys.

Twenty-one more Fulton County boys have been called to report at McConnellsburg and to be entrained the following day for Camp Lee. Twenty-two men who will be called to McConnellsburg, but only twenty-one will be sent to camp. This with two men were inducted into service, makes a total of 143 Fulton County boys that have gone to camp since the 7th of last September, when the first four—Fred Lamberson, Orlen Mock, James C. Scriever and James D. Hoop—left for Camp Lee.

The names of the boys going at the next call are—

- AYR—Russell D. Thomas.
- BELFAST—Peter Palmer Gordon, Oscar F. Garland, and John H. Morton.
- BETHEL—William Henry Dielbiss, Elmer E. Hiles and Curtis E. Golden.
- BRUSH CREEK—Frank M. Morgret.
- DUBLIN—John L. Fleming.
- LICKING CREEK—George C. Daniels, Robert McK. Fix, Jacob Judson Deshong, and Alvin Stanley Strait.
- McCONNELLSBURG—Edward H. Keefer and Lewis F. Largent.
- THOMPSON—Daniel H. Peck, James Albert Johnson and Clarence C. Deshong.
- TODD—Horace Ashwell.
- UNION—William Amber Fischer and Glenn Atlee Lehman.
- WELLS—Ernest C. Cunningham.

Quiet Wedding.

The Burlington (Colorado) Call of June 20th, makes the following mention of the marriage of a former Fulton Countian. The groom, Mr. Frank D. Mann is a son of the late William C. and Maria Daniels Mann and was born at Saluvia this county.

Of the marriage the Call says: "Their numerous friends and business acquaintances were greatly surprised to learn of the marriage of Miss Stella McNulty and F. D. Mann, Monday night June 17. Even those lucky enough to be guests were taken by surprise. Monday evening the happy couple, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson, went on a rabbit hunt, returning by the parsonage when Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson were acquainted of the coming event.

"Rev. A. J. Moorman performed the ceremony. Besides Rev. Moorman and Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson, Miss Hoskins and Mrs. Moorman witnessed the ceremony.

"The bride is one of Kit Carson's most popular young ladies, having homesteaded south west of town. She came here from Mankato Kansas, and after proving up on her claim moved to Burlington where she has since resided. Until recently she was engaged in the Racket Store business.

"F. D. Mann is one of Burlington's most prominent and popular business men, having resided here since the early days. He is president and one of the heaviest stockholders in the Burlington State Bank, also president of a South American gold mine. "The bride and groom will leave Friday morning for the mountains to spend the summer. Part of the time will be spent at beautiful Echo Lake, owned by the groom. They will return home to Burlington in the fall.

"Starting in married life under most favorable circumstances, the Call joins their many friends in wishing them many happy and prosperous days."

Todd Has Two Brothers in France.

William Naugle, near Knobsville, received a card last Wednesday, informing him that his son Harry Naugle, who went to Camp Lee on the 29th of April, had landed safe in France. This is the second son William has in France. Samuel left in March for Camp Lee, and has been over for some time.

Second Red Cross Drive.

With the closing day of June, ended the Second Red Cross Drive, and the result has been very gratifying to Hon. D. H. Patterson, Chairman of the Fulton County Campaign. Most of us have not forgotten that the First Red Cross Drive was made a year ago, and when reports came in from over the County and we had a sum of about thirteen hundred dollars, we felt that Fulton had done herself proud. With the closing of the Second Drive last week, it was found that more than three times that sum has been given—and given much more cheerfully—given in most cases as a privilege of making a slight sacrifice for the war, and not as a tax.

Mr. Patterson, the chairman, feels very grateful to the patriotic helpers all over the County that made it possible for Fulton to occupy a rank among its sister counties of which it needs not be ashamed.

The service flag offered to the township that should raise the largest sum of money was won by Wells which, of course, does not lay any claims to being the largest or wealthiest township in the County.

The flag, which was made by Miss Mollie S. Seylar, and the letters and Red Cross painted by our talented young artist Miss Elizabeth Taylor is a "Bute" and well worth the effort made to get it.

While it may be noticed that the borough of McConnellsburg raised a few more dollars than Wells, it was only the townships that participated in the contest for the flag.

The following shows the sum contributed by each township and by the Borough.

Ayr	\$653.65
Belfast	264.88
Bethel	340.72
Brush Creek	285.00
Dublin	208.85
Licking Creek	232.25
McConnellsburg	683.82
Taylor	270.70
Thompson	189.25
Todd	131.10
Union	328.08
Wells	665.60
Total	\$4,253.40

Notice to Sugar Dealers.

Every sugar dealer in Fulton County, and every manufacturer using sugar, must secure from the County Food Administrator a blank form on which a sworn statement is to be made as of July 1st. These forms will be mailed to dealers on request only, and the County Administrator will assume no responsibility for any dealer's failure to receive these blank forms, or notice of the sugar regulations. The burden is on the dealer and manufacturer to keep posted and observe the regulations.

Every retailer of sugar in the county should keep an accurate record of the date of sale, amount sold, and to whom sold, of every pound of sugar sold from now on. The certificates signed by persons purchasing sugar for canning purposes should be sent in promptly every week.

JOHN R. JACKSON

County Food Administrator.

Soldier's Letter.

Edward Hann, Co. C, 38th Inf., Am. E. F., wrote his brother Harris from some where in France on the 27th day of May, saying the weather in France at that time was very warm. He says he has written one or two letters a week since he landed and has not been receiving letters from home. He says he is well and happy and has plenty to do. As Edward's address is given at the beginning of this article, it will mean a good deal to get a letter from any of his old friends. Don't forget to write to the soldier boys who are so far away from home.

HONOR ROLL.

Names of New Subscribers and Others Who Paid Subscription During the Month of Roses.

Half the year 1918 has been spent. How time does roll along! The days are getting shorter. The almanac says so. And the almanac must be right, for there were some things we intended to do yesterday that did not get done—just because the day was not long enough. But such is life. There were a few people who fully intended that their names should be on this Honor Roll—but just put off sending in the dingbats until it was too late. O well! There will be room next month. Just glance down over the list and see the name of a bunch of mighty nice people.

- Baker, Mrs. Isaac 1-20-19
- Barnett, Geo. N. 12-1-19
- Barnett, J. W. 5-8-19
- Barton, C. J. 1-15-19
- Beatty, Nelson 1-2-19
- Bishop, Luther W. 8-1-18
- Brakeall, Grant 1-13-19
- Brewer, C. F. 2-2-18
- Chestnut, Mrs. E. F. 2-15-19
- Claybaugh, Mrs. J. F. 1-2-19
- Comer, J. C. 6-15-18
- Conrad, Mrs. Sallie 9-21-19
- Deshong, H. E. 8-23-19
- Deshong, Riley 10-2-19
- Deshong, S. J. 11-15-18
- Deshong, C. L. 7-2-19
- Deshong, Charlie 5-5-18
- Eissman, W. L. 7-1-19
- Ficks, Simon 7-1-19
- Foreman, P. B. 6-10-19
- French, Mrs. M. E. 7-1-19
- Fryman, Robert N. 9-21-18
- Giffin, Wm. J. 6-1-18
- Gobin, C. E. 4-13-19
- Glunt Charles 6-1-19
- Grace, Robert H. 10-1-19
- Harvey, Rufus, 4-1-19
- Helman, Mrs. Matilda 9-21-18
- Hendershot, Alfred 6-6-20
- Hendershot, Mrs. E. 4-14-18
- Hess, Job 2-1-19
- Hoopengardner, E. A. 3-9-19
- Kelso, Wash 4-17-19
- Knepfer, Aaron 5-22-19
- Knotts, Joseph 12-1-18
- Laidig, Glenn D. 2-15-19
- Laidig, Mrs. Martha 12-12-18
- Lamberson, Mary C. 7-1-18
- Lynch, Mrs. George 4-14-19
- Mason, Roy 3-4-19
- McCoy, Mrs. Emma 6-6-19
- McElhane, S. M. 9-21-19
- McQuade, Mrs. L. C. 7-1-19
- Meek, George 7-1-19
- Mellott, Norman 1-1-19
- Mellott, Mrs. M. E. 6-12-19
- Mellott, A. J. 6-13-19
- Mellott, Henry J. 8-1-19
- Mellott, Mrs. Bettie A. 1-1-20
- Metzler, Mrs. Elizabeth 7-6-19
- Miller, Harry W. 6-1-19
- Mower, Mrs. J. W. 6-15-18
- Mumma, Chas. A. 5-18-19
- Myers, Jacob 5-29-19
- Myers, Mrs. Susan C. 5-8-18
- Pine, John 5-29-18
- Ray, Sanner 3-18-19
- Rinedollar, J. W. 6-1-19
- Scott, H. W. 12-1-19
- Shimer, Mertie 9-1-18
- Shimer, Mrs. James 9-1-18
- Sipes, Miss Myrtle 4-1-19
- Sipes, Geo. W. 3-17-19
- Smith, Mrs. Sophia 7-1-18
- Stevens, N. H. 7-10-19
- Swartzwelder, Dr. J. S. 11-21-18
- Wagner, Mrs. W. Scott 1-1-19
- Weisel, L. W. 3-31-19
- Wilson, Mrs. Alice 6-6-19
- Wolf, Mrs. Nellie Kelso 6-1-19

Wanted No Display.

Jeremiah G. Gilbert, aged 61, a Pottstown, Pa., undertaker, who died June 12 and who in twenty-six years had conducted 3,554 funerals, was of such modest taste that he wanted no lavish display at his funeral. He directed that no crepe should be placed on the door and there should be no barred shutters. He wanted things at his home just as if he were alive; besides, he wanted no long funeral sermon and requested only very brief services at the house.

Miss Alice Wishart was a guest in the home of Miss Harriet B. Sloan last week while enroute to attend the Conference at Wilson College, Chambersburg.

SUGAR SUPPLY SHORT; EXTREME SAVING ORDERED.

State Food Administrator Publishes New and Stringent Regulations Covering All Consumption.

Heavy Penalties Impending for Violators of Rules or Those Who Fail to Report Stock.

Manufacturers Limited to Fifty Per Cent of Former Supply—Use of Sugar in Homes Curtailed.

PHILADELPHIA, June 29.

New and sweeping sugar regulations have been issued by Howard Heinz, U. S. Food Administrator for Pennsylvania, following advices from Washington as to the growing seriousness of the situation with regard to the world's sugar supply. The new rules are more stringent than any heretofore put in force, and they affect every man, woman and child in the state. Moreover, Mr. Heinz sets forth with emphasis that rigid enforcement of the regulations will be insisted upon, that ignorance will not be accepted as an excuse, and that violators will be severely punished.

County Administrators have received minute and detailed instructions about the new rules and enforcement thereof.

The most important features of the new sugar code follow.

Householders are urged, as a patriotic duty, to limit table consumption to 3 pounds per person per month, or as much less as possible.

Retailers must not sell more than two pounds to any one person at any one time in the city and 5 in the county districts, except for canning and preserving purposes.

Sugar for canning and preserving may be bought and sold in lots not exceeding 25 pounds only on a new form of certificates soon to be issued.

All commercial users and handlers of sugar are divided into 5 classes, for each of which stringent and binding regulations are laid down. These classes are:

- A. Manufacturers of candy, soft drinks, chewing gum, chocolate, cocoa, tobacco, flavoring extracts, invert sugar, syrups, sweet pickles, wines, etc., and operators of soda fountains.
- B. Commercial canners of fruits, vegetables, or milk. Makers of glycerine or explosives, and manufacturers using sugar for medicinal purposes.
- C. Hotels, restaurants, clubs, dining cars, steamships, hospitals, public institutions, and all other public eating places, in which term are included all boarding houses which take care of 25 or more persons.
- D. Bakers and cracker manufacturers of all kinds.
- E. Retail store and others selling for direct consumption.

All persons, in all these classes, must, on or before July 15, make a statement, upon a form provided by the State Food Administrator, showing all sugar they hold or have in transit on July 1st.

Failure to make statements on or before July 15 will deprive such user or handler of the right to buy additional sugar during the balance of the year 1918 and possibly, under some circumstances, for the re-

Locke—Comer.

At the Reformed parsonage, McConnellsburg, Pa., on Saturday morning, June 22, 1918, the pastor Rev. Wm. J. Lowe united in marriage Dr. Howard V. Locke, of Orbisonia and Miss Mayme Catherine Comer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Comer, of Burnt Cabins, Dr. and Mrs. Locke have installed a home in Orbisonia where the Doctor is engaged in the practice of medicine.

REASONS FOR EXTREME SHORTAGE OF SUGAR.

Increased needs of the Army and Navy for transportation facilities, which has reduced the number of ships carrying sugar from Hawaii and the West Indies.

Smaller crop than was expected in several important sugar producing areas outside this country.

Shortage in Louisiana cane supply.

Shortage in domestic beet sugar crop.

Destruction of beet sugar factories in war areas in France and Italy.

Sinking of "sugar ships" by submarines.

The fact that a user or handler has sugar on hand sufficient to meet his present requirements, not only does not relieve him from this obligation but failure to make the statement lays him liable to the penalties for hoarding under the law.

All sugar in excess of three months supply at the rate of consumption allowed to each concern will be taken over by the Food Administrator and redistributed at once. Any sugar in excess of thirty days needs must be held subject to the Food Administrator's order for distribution if necessary.

Any attempt to accumulate sugar between now and July 1st will lead to trouble and will be interpreted as hoarding, which is punishable by fine and imprisonment.

Sugar reports by persons in Group A. must also show how much sugar they used in July, August and September 1917. They will get certificates based on 50 per cent of such average use. Ice cream manufacturers will get 75 per cent except soda fountain operators who make their own ice cream; they will only receive about 50 per cent.

A certificate will be issued separately for each month's purchases.

Commercial canners et. (Group B) will receive certificates for necessary requirements, but must notresell, (under penalty of forfeiting license for the duration of the war) except by the permission of the Food Administrator.

In Group C. (all public eating places) sugar will be allowed on the basis of three pounds for each 90 meals served.

Bakers will get sugar certificates for 70 per cent of the average amount they used in July, August and September 1917, or 70 per cent of that used in June 1918.

Retail stores will receive, for their July purchases, certificates based on the average of sugar sold in the months of April, May and June 1918. Retailers must not sell to anyone except upon certificates, and must not sell more than two pounds at once to anyone in the city or five pounds to any one in the country districts.

Persons buying sugar for canning and preserving must agree to return all sugar bought for that purpose and not so used.

Hotels and restaurants which do not observe other food regulations may lose their sugar supply.

It will be noted that bakers, who heretofore, did not need certificates to buy sugar, must have them now. All retailers must post copies of the new sugar orders, as they affect the householder in their stores.

The above rules are now in force in Fulton County and this is official notice to all persons interested.

JOHN R. JACKSON,
County Food Administrator.

Comer—Peterson.

On Thursday June 6, 1918, Harvey E. Comer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Comer, of Burnt Cabins and Miss Alda Jane Lenora Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Peterson, of Neelyton, Huntingdon county were married in Hagerstown, Md., by the Rev. W. J. Linn, at the M. E. parsonage. Mr. and Mrs. Comer will reside at Burnt Cabins.

MOTOR POST SERVICE.

Through Service Between McConnellsburg, Washington and Baltimore Daily Except Sunday.

A new postal service, which will mean much to McConnellsburg and vicinity as well as to residents living along the Lincoln Highway and adjacent thereto between McConnellsburg and Gettysburg, has been inaugurated and was put into operation Tuesday morning. It consists of an automobile of regulation government design, and make a round trip between McConnellsburg and Gettysburg daily except Sunday. Leaving McConnellsburg at 7 a. m., it reaches Gettysburg at noon, where it connects closely with the motor post that has been operating for several months between that town and Baltimore and Washington.

The new service carries all classes of mail, but its especial usefulness is in the transportation of parcels. Eggs, fruit, butter, etc., sent by parcel post will reach the City the same day it leaves McConnellsburg. The primary object of the motor post, which is now operating successfully in many parts of the country, is to bring the city, and the country, residents closer together and to facilitate the dispatch of products from the producer to the consumer. The new service was scheduled to go into effect Monday morning, but the new truck came from Pittsburgh and did not reach McConnellsburg in time to go on the job Monday. John McLucas, who has been driving for Max Sheets for a long time, has charge of the new mail truck.

The schedule:

	Leave	Arrive
	a. m.	p. m.
McConnellsburg	7:00	5:30
Fort Loudon	8:00	4:30
St. Thomas	8:45	3:45
Chambersburg	9:30	3:00
Fayetteville	10:00	2:30
Black Gap	10:15	2:15
Cashtown	11:00	1:30
McKnightstown	11:10	1:20
Seven Stars	11:20	1:10
Gettysburg	12:00m	12:30

Don't Sell Your Bond.

Your Liberty Bond—whether it is for \$50 or \$500—is your savings. To sell it is to lose your savings. The longer you keep the bond, the more valuable it is going to be.

It does no good to Uncle Sam to subscribe to his loan, and then sell the amount of your subscription. Many of us have strained ourselves to buy the bonds, and necessity may force some of us to get some of the money back. But the way to do this is not to sell a bond. Dishonest sharpers will take your bonds and give you say eighty dollars for the one hundred.

If you must have money go to a reliable bank. It will lend you ninety dollars on the hundred, and the interest on your bond will nearly pay the interest on the money they lend you. Then by paying the loan, you can have the bond back.

Uncle Sam's securities are a making money for you while you hold them. Two years after the war ends they will be worth, it is estimated, \$110. If the war ends in three years or under you will then be receiving six and a quarter per cent.—on the surest investment in the world.

Clark—Booth.

At the Methodist Episcopal parsonage at Hustontown on Wednesday of last week, the pastor, Rev. Hugh Strain, united in marriage Mr. Guy Reed Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Clark of Maddensville, and Miss Pearl Arlene Booth, daughter of John and Matilda Grissinger Booth, of the same town. Mr. and Mrs. Clark have the heartiest congratulations of their numerous friends.

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